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THE EAGLE'S POSITION PLAINLY STATED.

The Eagle has had very little to say in the gubernatorial contest now on in this State. In fact it did not express any preference until after Gov. Colquitt's splendid action in coming to the relief of the A. & M. College after the destruction of the main building by fire. That act turned the scales in his favor and we declared for him, and are still supporting him in a modest way. That act alone would not have won our support if we had believed there was a preponderance of evil in the man and his administration over the good.

After carefully considering both men and their records, however, we came to the deliberate conclusion that Mr. Colquitt had made the State of Texas a good governor, fully averaging on the whole, that of his predecessors in recent years. Having done so, we believe that in accordance with a time honored custom he is entitled to a second term. We also arrived at the further conclusion that he is as able a man, as good man, and as clean a man, as his opponent, and for these reasons we decided to give him our support.

For those who think differently, we entertain just as profound a respect as if their views were entirely in harmony with ours. We grant every man the right to his own opinion, and claim this right for ourselves. We believe in the spirit of tolerance to the fullest extent, and a man is in a bad fix when he gets to the place where he can't give his neighbor the same right he demands for himself. It is perfectly natural that men differ on public questions and issues, but it is not natural that they should permit this difference to enter into, and make a difference in the relationship of man for his fellowman.

The right spirit is this—each man be guided by his own judgment and conscience in the support of seekers for office from the highest to the lowest, and when the fight is over let the ranks close up, and standing shoulder to shoulder, press forward in the fight for those things that make for the betterment and the progress of the community.

The Eagle was in error Saturday in stating that some of the delegates from Brazos county rode to the State convention at Houston on passes. Such would have been a violation of the State law and we are glad to make the correction.

It is a mistaken idea that a big cotton crop can be made without rain. It takes rain in July to make cotton.

The prospect of fifty cent corn has gone a glimmering.

OUR WONDERFUL LANGUAGE.

During his leisure hours a reporter scanned the columns of the classified page in the Daily Oklahoman, and this is what he found:

Wanted—A furnished room by an elderly lady with electric lights.

Wanted—A room by a young man with double doors.

Lost—A green lady's leather purse.

Wanted—A nice young man to run a poolroom out of town.

Wanted—A man to take care of

horses who can speak German.
Found—A lightweight gentleman's overcoat.

Wanted—A man who can open oysters with a reference.

Wanted—An organist and a boy to blow the same.—Shreveport Times.

A LORIMER SHORT STORY.

The following is a brief outline of Wm. Lorimer, deposed senator, his life and life work:

William Lorimer, born in Manchester, England, April 27, 1861.

Came to the United States when 5 years of age.

Settled in Chicago in 1870; married Susan Mooney, July, 1884.

At 10 years of age was a sign painter's apprentice.

Afterwards employed at general work in the packing houses.

Served some years as street railway conductor.

In 1886 entered the real estate business.

Organized the firm of Lorimer & Murphy, brick manufacturers.

In 1900 elected president of the Federal Improvement company.

Later was made superintendent of the water main extension.

Became superintendent of the Chicago water department.

In 1892 was defeated for clerk of the superior court.

Member of the Fifty-fourth and Fifty-sixth congresses, 1895-98.

Member of the Fifty-eighth and Sixty-first congress, 1903-11.

In 1908 elected to the United States senate for the term ending 1915.

Took his seat as senator June 18, 1909.

Ousted by the United States senate July 13, 1912.

Owms a prosperous banking business in Chicago.

Heavy holder of real estate in and around Chicago.

Father of eight remarkably handsome children, two sons and six daughters.

Never known to use a profane or obscene word.

Never failed to assist a friend.

TO EXHIBIT TEXAS PRODUCTS.

Houston Chamber of Commerce Will Make a Great Display at Chicago Land Show.

The Houston Chamber of Commerce has engaged space at the Chicago Land Show to be held this fall for the display of South Texas products.

An entire section of ten booths directly inside the main entrance at the Coliseum has been reserved for the exhibit, which will cost \$10,000 to install.

So far Houston is the only city in Texas which has contracted for space, yet the space it has reserved is large enough to accommodate the displays from other coast cities. Whatever is displayed, however, in the Houston district section will be representative of what may be grown over the entire coast country.

During the Land Show "Texas" and "Rice" days will be observed. The exercises for Texas day will be in charge of the Houston district delegation and at which all Texans in the city will be invited. On Rice day slabs in rice in varying styles will be served from the Houston district section.

As near as possible it is intended to show displays from every city and town of consequence in the Houston district with the names of the town and locality displayed conspicuously. In this way it is expected to show such an array of attractive agricultural subjects that attention when directed to Texas will be immediately fastened on South Texas.

During the show a Chicago paper will carry a double page advertisement relating to the Texas coast country display and all towns represented in the Houston district will be included in the advertisement.

HOUSTON MARKET REVIEW.

Houston, Tex., July 15.—Insect damage in Texas cotton fields this year will be materially lessened, it is believed. Reports to the Houston Chamber of Commerce from over the Southern district carry little reference to insect damage. What reports that do come in are confined to some



TAKING A DAY OFF

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south central sections where the boll weevil is reported in some localities. The advice from the section in general are satisfactory, but a general rain is needed in the next few days. The temperature has been satisfactory to the growth of the crop. Other points in the southern states cotton belt have had good rains during the week, Texas being slighted.

A feature of the Houston produce market which shippers will do well to note is a change among many of the dealers to deal in chickens by the pound instead of by the dozen. It is believed the practice will become general. Northern markets handle chickens by the pound and quotations from those centers are furnished by the pound. Hence the change, Turkeys always have been sold by the pound and chickens by the dozen since the inception of the produce market. It is believed the change will be welcomed alike by the farmers and other shippers.

Egg receipts are fairly liberal and in demand with prices unchanged. Fresh eggs are being handled at losses, 50 per cent of them being bad. There is a little demand for seconds. Texas produce remains a glut on the market. New Texas apples are in and the market in that department soon will be back on a normal basis. The demand for fine watermelons is excellent and several carloads a day are being disposed of in Houston. Texas potatoes are bringing \$1.00 to the trade.

Very favorable reports come from the commercial agencies on the condition of trade in their territory. Houston is doing its normal share of business for the season, and there is a bright outlook for fall. Money is said to be rather tight now, still collections are reported fair. Dun's reports only one failure for the week.

Building operations continue on a large scale. New brick and steel buildings are being arranged for, and the building lines are active. Labor men state no city in the United States is building as rapidly as Houston—in proportion to the size.

Popular Excursion to Galveston & Houston Via I. & G. N. Ry., Saturday, July 20.

Excursion Tickets on sale Saturday, July 20, and for its trains arriving in Galveston and Houston, Sunday morning 21st. Return limit to leave Galveston or Houston, Monday, 22nd. See ticket agent for further particulars.

FIFTEEN CENTS FOR 1912 COTTON CROP

Brazos county completely organized makes sixty counties in Texas and nine states in the south organized with the Southern States Cotton Corporation, to handle the 1912 cotton crop.

No proposition today is of greater importance to the bankers, merchants, farmers and business interests generally, than that of marketing the cotton crop, so that the producer of the raw material can realize a profit above the actual cost of production.

This problem has been studied for the past 25 years, and today the South is just awakening to the fact that they can market their cotton in a sane and business like way by theducers in one great system or exchange going direct from the grower to the spinner.

This plan has been formulated by Southern men in the form of the Southern States Cotton Corporation, which provides a way for the farmers themselves to take care of the surplus or distressed cotton in the form of an investment. The plan, while it appears startling in its simplicity can be and will be carried to a successful operation by the cooperation of every one who is wholly or largely dependent upon the cotton as the money product of the South.

The Plan and Organization of the Corporation:

The plan is to pay 15c per pound, basis middling, for cotton at each shipping point, payment to be made as follows—all the price of 15c in ninety days script bearing 6 per cent interest, or if the owner prefers 11c will be paid in currency, and 4c per pound paid in ninety days script, bearing 6 per cent interest. The contract between the corporation and the owner of cotton under which this price is paid calls for the payment of \$1.10 in cash per bale by the owner of the cotton, and with this payment the liability for further expenses for the owner or farmer ceases, and the corporation assumes and will pay all charges from the delivery point to the mills.

Organization:

1st. A general office to be located in one of the Southern States and to be a clearing house through which the various State offices clear their business.

2nd. A State general office in each of the cotton growing States through which the business of that particular State will pass.

3rd. A County Committee consisting of six citizens of each cotton growing county.

4th. Fifty directors to be selected and elected by the stock holders, each State being entitled to its proportionate number of these directors based on its growth of cotton in 1911 compared to the total growth, each 300,000 bales representing a director. Texas being entitled to 14 directors, according to the above.

Capital.

The Southern States Cotton Corporation proposes a capitalization of \$7,000,000.00, levied as follows: \$1,000,000.00 in common or voting stock, \$6,000,000.00 in participation certificates. This stock to be sold while the corporation is in formation so as to net par to the corporation, afterwards the value raised to such price as the directors of the corporation should think it should be worth. When the entire stock is sold it is believed that it will represent something like \$10,000,000.00 cash in the Treasury. This capital together with the certifying fees should bring the cash capital of the corporation up to approximately twenty-five millions of dollars, with which to begin business. With such a capital under the present system of marketing any man or firm could confidently count on doing a business of 1,000,000 bales of cotton. Under the plans of the Southern States Corporation the amount of business which could be handled with this same capital would be unlimited, since each bale which passes through its hands would add to its capital \$20.00 over the cash price paid to the owner for it, as under the certificate or contract with the grower or owner a loan of \$20.00 per bale has been arranged, which is to run ninety days or longer if necessary, and therefore each bale delivered to the corporation would strengthen its reserve instead of weakening it. Under this plan at every railroad station, town or city, in the South would have one value, the same as gold has its stable value throughout the world.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY

JULY 15 IN HISTORY.

1054—Michael Cerularius, the Greek patriarch excommunicated at Constantinople.

1212—Battle of Tolosa, in Spain, with

defeat of the Moors. This day became anniversary festival called "Triumph of the Cross."
1429—Joan of Arc took the town of Rheims, in France, from the English and on the next day the Dauphin was crowned.
1439—Commencement of pestilence and famine which scourged England and France for two years.
1717—The Turks were defeated by the Austrians at a battle under the walls of Belgrade.
1794—Poles defeated the Russians at

Battle of Wigoya.
1898—Americans improve position to attack Spanish defenses in Porto Rico.
1908—The American battleship fleet reached Honolulu.
1909—The Crown Prince was proclaimed Shah, Ali Mirza, the deposed Shah, taking refuge with the Russians.
July wheat reached \$1.29 at Chicago.
1911—Lord Kitchner was appointed British Agent in Egypt to succeed Sir Eldon Gorst.

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